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# Accurate restoration demands time, money, hard work -- and restraint

By ALISON ALOISIO

When Scott Oldakowski docided to renovate the 19th century Stiles House on the Bethel Common, he didn't realize how much work it would take. Or how rewarding it could be.

Oldakowski bought the enthic Revival-style house talso known as the Hall House) a little over a vour

Built around 1852, it is described by Bethel Instorian Randy Bennett as "the finest Cotthe Residual home in Bethel, and one of the treest as western Maine.

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In his book "Oxford County, A Guide to Its Historic Architecture," Bennett describes the features of the house: "The Stiles House has ornamental bargeboards at the caves, a balustraded portico with wooden scrollwork trim, and wall sheathing scored to imitate stone."

The house is listed with the National Register of Historic Places. That fact, together with the house's setting on the Common, gave Oldakowski a sense of historic responsibility.

"I liked the Common, and admired its historical integrity. I felt that's the way at early remodeling) francial in dierre he sand

So he want to Bennett and Dr. from Howe at the historical society

"They gave me a lot of direction," said Oldakowski.

There was plenty of work to be done. The bargeboard trim was cracked, the siding on the front needed to be replaced, the window sills needed structural work, and the adjacent barn was leaning,

Oldakowski hired contractor Jim Keith of Bethel to do the work, "We'd meet every morning to talk about the work for the day," said Oldakowski,

The bargeboard was taken down and the cracks filled in. New pine clapboards for the front of the house were routed every 14 inches to give the appearance of Gothic

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RANDY BENNETT

Bethel Historical Society

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GETTING READY FOR ALASKA--Travis Buck of Bethe! build this igloo in his backyard to prepare for mountaineoring in Alaska this spring. He plans to spend a night in the igles -- once the current cold snap eases a bit.

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By MICHAEL DANIELS

Bethel Bancorp is changing its name, its corporate structure, and is moving its headquarters to the Lewiston/Anburn usea.

But Bancarp President and Chief Executive Officer Jim Delamater said the moves, which have been in the works for two years, will not affect employment in Bethel.

The consolidation, he said, will make it possible for the company to offer as expanded range of services to customers both here in Bethel control cat extruct for consults from categories.

At a press conference Monday the Better Besserp Board of Directors amagneed Better Savings Bank, F.7.B., and Branswick Federal Savings Bank, F.A. had been merged into a new entity, to be Encour as Northcast Bank, F.S.B. The corporate beadquarters for Northeast bank, as well as a new crassit bank office, will be located in the familiary, Automit area --

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# Runaway Andover girls home safely; companion killed by California police

# Telstar staff readying for girls' return to school

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Telstar's Crisis Intervention Fearn, composed of school staff and community representatives, her been working to 'disspel rumors and take the sensationalism" out of the amation, in the words of high school guidance counselor Beth LaVallee.

LaVallee said news reports - some of which she said were conflicting -- have had an inflammatory effect on students. She said the team has tried to counter that by giving students accurate information as soon as it is available.

The kids wanted to know what was going on (before the girls were located). They were worried about their safety, and their whereabouts -- 'I wonder if they're all right? Where are they?' were some of the questions," she said.

Sally Hannon, guidance counselor at the middle school, said some students have sought the help of the guidance staff, as well as outside counselors, to help sort out their feelings.

She said Lara Murray of REACH, an organization that provides education and information on sexuality issues, met with groups of stu-See GUIDANCE, page 4

From staff and wire reports

Phalan Haney and Angela Smith returned home to Andover over the weekend, two days after San Diego. Calif. police entered their beach motel room and shot and killed the man who drove them across the country.

PRESERVING THE HISTORICAL

INTEGRITY--Scott Oldskowski

House on the Bethel Common.

He renovated remodeled the 150-

Society. Photo by Airon Moral of

year-old building with guidance

stands in front of the Stiles

from the Bethel Historical

The runaway girls, ages 14 and 16, were present Thursday morning when police stormed the room they were sharing with Louis Newcomb. 44, also of Andover.

Newcomb was holding a gun at the time and refused police commands to drop it.

Following the shooting, the girls were taken to San Diego Juvenile Hall, where they spent the night. On Friday morning, Smith's parents, who had flown in from Maine, signed release papers and flew back 3 home with the girls.

Both girls had apparently gone willingly with Newcomb on his cross-country journey, said Detective Capt. Jim Miclon of the Oxford County Sheriff's Department.

"We speculate that one of them, or both of them, may have been inthem." said Miclon, who based that theny on interviews and letters that

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motel saw them playing in the pool, guggling and having a good time. They didn't appear to be there against their will."

Newcomb, who was diverced, worked as a laborer at the Boise Cascade paper mill in Rumford. Miclon said. Aside from a drunken driving arrest in October, Newcomb had no criminal record.

But Haney's mother, Diane, described Newcomb, who lived a

Welcome to our family Morgan Jade Erskine We Love You!

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Tickets: until 1/12 - Inds (12 & under \$6. aucito \$5 after 1/12 - \$8 and \$10. On sale at the Summit Metel, Snow Cap Inn, Welcome Ctr, Preb's Pharmacy downtown Bethel or by calling 824 2575 for reservations. Changared by the family of Lewin & Ottoer and the flethel but a Country Club.

# M.S.A.D. #44 RESIDENTS

You're invited to:

Learn more about school reform issues in M.S.A.D. #44 Help increase community involvement in your schools Help yourself and others assume a leadership role in promoting positive change in M.S.A.D. #44

A workshop for the Ambassadors For Education program, sponsored by the University of Maine and M.S.A.D. #44, will be held on Saturday, January 20, 1996, at the Crescent Park School in Bethel. Anyone interested in signing up for the day-long workshop should contact the M.S.A.D. #44's Superintendent's Office (207-824-2185) for registration information. The workshop is free to M.S.A.D. #44 residents.

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#### ATTENTION! Clients of Bethel Animal Ilospital

Dr. Gary Stner will be out of the office and unavailable for emergencies from Friday, January 12, 1996 to Monday, January 22, 1996. The office staff will be able to assist you with refills on medication, pet foods, making appointments, or other routine information. The office will be open January 12th, 15th,

16th, 18th and 19th from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Regular office hours begin on Monday, January 22nd.

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### NEW LAND TRUST DIRECTOR

To the Editor:

I am pleased to announce that James Mitchell has become the new executive director of the Mahoosuc Land Trust.

Jim will be in Bethel on Tuesdays and Thurasdays and can be reached in the Land Trust office on Main St. (The office is on the second floor.) He welcomes visitors. The phone number is 824-3806.

Jim is a native of Freeport and a graduate of the University of Maine. He has been a Peace Corps volunteer in India, a Trail Crew supervisor for the Maine Appalachian Trail Club for 16 years, and has represented Freeport in the Maine House of Representatives for 14 years. During his time in Augusta he was Chair of the Marine Resources Committee and a member of the Energy and Natural Resources Committee. He is presently employed part-time by L.L. Bean.

The Board is very pleased that Jim has agreed to become our new executive director. We look forward to a long and fruitful association.

Board of Directors, Mahoosuc Land Trust

# CHRISTMAS FOR KIDS THANKS

To the Editor:

On behalf of the Bethel Rotary Club I would like to extend our thanks and appreciation to the many people who contributed to our Christmas for Children drive this year. Thanks to all of you, over 100 children in the SAD44 area found presents under the tree on Christmas morning. This was a wonderful effort, with support coming from many local families and businesses and a substantial number of donations from people as far away as Florida.

Many thanks to the Rotarians who braved the elements on those snowy weekends, to Donny Katlin for repainting our sign and to the Bethel Foodliner for once again supporting our cause by allowing us to do our bell ringing outside their doors.

Special thanks to all the people at the Citizen for the great job they did in helping us to promote this worthwhile cause.

Best wishes for a happy and healthy New Year.

David W. Murphy Bethel Rotary Club

# THANKS FROM TELSTAR GROUP

To the Editor:

In October 1995, several Telstar parents saw the need to come together to form a group to support and promote Telstar High School. Several minatives undertaken by this group have included the development and distribution of a bi-weekly newsletter, decorating the school for the holidays and a spirit boosting activity in December.

On behalf of this newly formed group we would like to recognize several groups and individuals for their part in making these beginning

Thank you, Sue Rosenberg, Linda Curley and Ray Seames, our editors of the first four newsletters.

Thank you. Telstar parents, for your generosity sending in holiday decorations, and special thanks to the eight parents who came in on the first snow day of the school year to make 15 wreaths and decorate two trees. Also, a big thank you to the four parents who took pictures of students with Santa.

Thank you, Telstar custodial staff, for fireproofing the boughs and trees and hanging the wreaths and stockings.

Thank you. Santa Claus - you brought much fun and happiness on you first visit in Telstar history.

Thank you. Telstar Athletic Boosters - your candy cane donations were durakly consumed.

Thank you. Brian Stowell and the Regional Partnership, 691 students

appreciated receiving pictures with Santa made possible by your fund-ing of the firm and developing costs. Thank you, SAD 44 community members, who came to enjoy our

talented young the mans and chorus in their production of Gift of the Maga the furnout surpassed many in recent years).

We look forward to many more parents, aunts, uncles, grandparents and friends of high school students to join us in future endeavors. Together we can do much to enhance the school's climate and show our tallis we cut:

> Nan-y Grever and Cheryl Angevine THS Parent Group Co-Chairs

# **BOTTLE DRIVE THANKS**

To the Editor:

Edward M. Snook

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in which an error occurs,

On Saturday, Jan. 6, the Friends of TMS sponsored a Bottle Drive at the SAD44 Bus Garage to ruse money for library books for our middle school students. We'd like to publicly thank the number of individuals and businesses in the community who supported our efforts. Thank you to the Chapman Inn, Hometown Bakery, the Norseman Inn, Pat's Pizza, the Riverview Motel, the Rostay, and Sunday River Inn, Thanks to all the students and parents for coming out on such a cold day to help. A special thank you to Levi Brown for all his help. We're sure the readers at TMS appreciate all our efforts. (Save your empties, as we hope to run another bottle drive early in the spring for the same pur-

The Friends of TMS meets tonight, Jan. 10, at 7 p.m. in the Telstar Library. Rodney Abbott, our guest speaker, will present "Parenting and facilitate a discussion with parents about the Middle School. All are welcome, so please join us.

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NATURE'S WINTER RORSCHACH-A hummingbird absconding with a sea horse? Your guess is as good as ours, interpretations welcome.

### REMEMBERING LILL

To the Editor:

When I reflect on my childhood in East Bethel, I am profoundly impressed as to what an idyllic one it was My family was never wealthy in material things, but I don't remember that ever bothering me very much. I was wealthy with the quality of the people around me and the experiences I had because of them. Growing up in such a close-knit community in the 1950s, where we knew everyone, and news traveled fast of any blessing or disaster to befall a neighbor, was a special experience. There was the school, the Grange, and the church, where I have many happy recollections.

There were adventures on the way to and from school, humor to be enjoyed at Grange suppers and socials, and inspiration during Sunday School at the church. The cemetery was a place of endless fasculation, especial ly when the annual clean-up in May, and I listened to all the stories told about those buried there. As neighborhood children, we had our games, forts, camps, tree houses, summer swimming in Otter Brook, and the boat on the pond. There was Newton's Store, which was one of the favored spots in the community, and our family farm. We had some engaging books that I studied by the hour, and novels and biographies to devour. It was a simpler time, but a very happy period of life. We felt very secure in our sarroundings.

One of those special people that made it such a wondrous time was Lillian Bartlett, who died this past week

in her 97th year. No one could have been more welcoming than she when one came to visit and her enthusiasm for life and humor were certainly contagious. She loved children, which is the way a teacher should be, and she always went the extra mile to make a visit to her house a memorable experience. Her students at the East Bethel School loved her, and she continued her connection with many of them until the end of her days. I never had her as a teacher, but, some of my family did, and they continued to remember her fondly

She was deeply interested in everyone and everything in the community and maintained that interest through out her long life. In later years, I visited her to discuss historical questions. Her recollection was always good

and she was very generous in sharing photographs and other historical materials.

Lill Bartlett never seemed to get old. She was always lively, full of good humor, and maintained her currosity about the world to the end. Her kitchen usually contained at least one visitor, often several. It was always a friendly place where everyone was welcome.

All who knew her will miss that warm smile and the eyes that lit up in greeting. Fact Bethel will always be a special place to me and Lill Bartlett was one who made it so

From the

# Bethel Town Office

On a Sunday afternoon in December a group of Bethel residents, and a few from Newry, met at the Congregational Church for a brainstorming session on their vision for Bethel's Main Street, The facilitator emphasized that no idea was too outlandish to be heard and that none of the ideas would be discussed on that afternoon. Comments soon generated from the Main Street to Bethel in general.

The Bethel Citizen in its Dec. 13 edition listed all 97 suggestions, which ranged from, "Keep Main Street as a working Main Street where you can buy something," to "Trade police cars for horses and mountain bikes." Now the next step in the process is about to take place.

On Sunday, Jan. 14, at the town office meeting room from 1 p.m. to approximately 4 p.m. the participants, and anyone who would like to join them, will group the suggestions and arrange them in order of importance. Where will it go from there and what is the purpose of all this? Change and progress occurs when people care enough to take an active part in the process. I urge you, even if you have never been involved in any town committee or board, to set aside some time for Bethel. Your input is important.

> Madeleine Henley Town Manager

State House

SAD44

# Board calls for zero increase in administration's first budget draft

By ALISON ALOISIO

The SAD44 School Board Monday directed administrators to build an FY'97 gross budget with a 0-

percent increase.

But, some directors said, that direction does not lock them into that figure.

The board's budget committee recommended that directors consider a 0-percent increase in light of the fact that this year's school budget vote will be by referendum, rather than a district-wide meeting. Administrators supported the strategy, even though Superintendent Ron Jenkins said it would likely mean between a 3- and 5-percent.

ly mean between a 3- and 5-percent budget downsizing, due to inflation and contract agreements.

In a roughly \$7 million gross budget, that would mean a mini-

mum cut of slightly over \$200,000. "I would prefer a 0-percent budget that stood a chance of passing, where the cuts are made in a controlled situation, rather than cuts

made by the board at midnight," Jenkins said.

Jenkins was referring to a meeting last summer in which the board cut this year's budget by a half-million dollars. The meeting lasted into the early morning hours.

Those cuts followed a \$500,000 budget reduction by voters at a

district-wide meeting.

Jenkins said that with a further \$200,000 cut this year, "there will be no new programs, and the budget will not address all the needs in the areas of technology, art, and music, for example " for example."

He said one bright spot in the budget picture might be provided by the state. SAD44 may get a little bigger piece of the state aid pie this year, because of a change in the state funding formula. The new for-mula takes residents' median income into account.

"It may help offset the salary package," Jenkins said.

Still, some directors worried that

further cuts would shortchange stu-

"I don't know what the ramifications are. In two years we can't afford to lose \$700,000 and still provide a good education," said Wood-stock director Margaret Hand, Although Hand said she would consider the 0-percent budget, she

said she wanted to see what it looked like before making any final commitments.

Directors discussed the possibility of adding separate articles to the referendum ballot for specific items, such as computers. But board chairman Merton Brown of Bethel said directors would not be doing their job if they went that route.

"It's up to the board to make the decision," he said.

The first draft of the budget is

scheduled to be presented to the board at a Feb. 12 meeting. Newry director Debbie Gilbert was absent from Monday's meetTHIS WEEK AT THE

# Moses Mason House

The 16th annual "So You Think You Know Bethel" was held on Thursday, Jan. 4 in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House. Once more the teams of Bethelites consisting of Cathy Newell and Merton Brown and the Sudburies with John Brown and Lorrie Hoch competed to see who would be the Bethel trivia champions for 1996. Questions ranged all over the spectrum of Bethel's past but, several this year dealt with festivals and celebrations in honor of this bicentennial year. The team of Cathy Newell and Menton Brown prevailed with a score of 205 to 180.

During the business portion of the meeting, president Charles Raymond announced that the next monthly meeting would feature the annual historical film festival on Feb. 1. He announced that the Artifact of the Month" was a medical account book of Bethel physician Almon Twitchell (1811-1859) for the 1840s when he was practicing in North Paris. Dr. Twitchell treated both humans and horses.

LOOKING BACK

10 years ago: Challenge '85, the Bethel Area Health Center's tundraising campaign, exceeded its goal of nearly \$60,000. Jan, 4, 1986, marked the beginning of Gould Academy's year-long sesquicentennial celebration with a kick-off reception in Hanscom Hall. Births: Mark Gagnon, Whitney Emens, Death: Thelma Hicks.

20 years ago: Mrs. Michelene Roy was March of Dimes chair for the Bethel area. Newly elected NTL board members were: Edith Seashore, president; Ray Gibbons, vice president-finance; and Birge Reichard, vice president and professional director. Leon and Ruth Wilson were honored on their 50th wedding anniversary at a celebration given by their children at Martha's Restaurant in Bethel, Death: Lena Merrill. 30 years ugo: The SAD44 Board

of Directors announced that the Bingham Estate Trustees would grant the district \$400,000 as building aid for the new high school, to be paid over 20 years. Christine Sanborn was chosen for the D.A.R. Good Citizenship Award at Gould Academy, Town Manager Michael Houlihan reported that 91.1 percent of the 1964 tax commitment of Bethel was paid by Dec. 31. Birth: Denise Slack. Deaths: Lamont Brooks, Roy Perham.

40 years ago: Bethel citizens were authorized to borrow not more than \$12,000 for the purchase of a new pumper and accessories. Edward P. Lyon closed his store in Bethel (now the Bethel Town of face) which had existed since 1910. Howard Cole was elected president and Elwood Ireland vice president et the Bethel Chamber of Commerce. Births: Stephen Greenleat, Datael Daley, Marriage: Viola Tar-dit and Theodore Cumming Deaths: Mrs. Levi McAllister.

Thomas Gordon, 50 years ago: The Bethel National Bank closed its affairs and all creditors were notified to present claims for payment. A group of 21 Bethel young people celebrated New Year's Eve at the Gateway House (now Sudbury Inn) which was offered free of charge by owner Robie Watson; ice cream was fur nished by Robert York of the Bethel Restaurant and soft drinks by Milo MeAllister, Marriages: Esther Wright and Henry Sweetsir. Barbara Berry and Dale Switt. Deaths: Elmer Davis, Charles

100 years: Excerpts from Bethel News: "G.R. Wiley forsook his arduous duties at the post office and drug store last week, long enough to make a business trip to Boston." "We are informed by one in a posi-tion to know, that our statement in the Newry Corner items in last week's News in regard to the cost of two school houses is a little onesided. Our informant states that the relative cost of the two houses is as forly-five to fifty-five. The Sunday River house is 21 x 17 feet. It has four windows, four doors and twenty seats, while the Bear River house is 23 x 31 feet, has six windows, six doors and thirty seats." "Riding in a wagon for pleasure on Christmas day is something very rare in Oxford County." Death: Seth Bessey.

Water/ground Temps. The Bethel Water District

reports the following water and ground temperatures as of Monday, Jan. 8.

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measured by sensors under Philbrook Street, where the surface of the ground is exposed and the subsurface is colder than in most other locations.

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For his efforts, Oldakowski will

be considered as a candidate for this

year's Bethel Historical Society

Bennett hopes more people who

may be considering remodeling and

restoring older homes in the area

"You can overdo it, and take away

the authenticity," he said -- and

"Bethel is going from 'quaint' to 'trendy' -- it's looking a little too

Bennett cites a comment in a

recent article in the Los Angeles

Times about Bethel. The writer de-

scribes the town center as "dig-

Bennett also said that, ironically,

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# Attempt made to save the spring

Wednesday, January 10, 1996

WOODSTOCK--Jim Chandler of the Oxford County Soil and Water Conservation District is trying to find a way to save the roadside spring on Route 26 in Bryant Pond. A recent water test revealed an unsatisfactory coliform bacteria count, and the Maine Department of Transportation is considering closing the spring. Chandler said he will talk to MDOT about possibly setting up "a mechanism for providing regular testing" of the water from the 50-year-old spring. MDOT was scheduled to put up a permanent sign on the site warning of the water's condition, but none had been installed as of Mondoy. Bethal resident Jackie Schues but none had been installed as of Monday. Bethel resident Jackie Schuesler, who has used the water regularly for five years, said people are continuing to use it. A hand-written "Water unsafe" sign had been blown down by wind, but as of Tuesday morning another wooden sign was up.

### Transformer fails; homes freeze

BRYANT POND--Central Maine Power company is still attempting to determine what caused a transformer at the Bryant Pond substation to fail Friday evening -- forcing more than 400 local homes to spend one of the coldest nights of the year without power. The power went out a 7:45 p.m. and was not back until just before 4 a.m. During that period temperatures were approaching 20 below zero and strong winds were blowing. The lengthy delay in restoring the power was largely due to the fact that the nearest replacement for that type of transformer was in Augusta. A CMP spokesperson said Monday that the company wasn't sure where the failed transformer had been taken, but hoped to locate it and determine the cause of the failure. Load had been ruled out as a cause, she said. The company has no plans to locate replacement transformers closer in the

### Help feed the moose

BETHEL--Loggers' help is being sought for "Winkie," the orphaned moose that is wintering in the area of Bethel village. Resident Linda Saunders is asking that any loggers who can donate tree tops and tips for the moose to eat please call her at 824-2240.

# Interim school director sought

GREENWOOD--Selectmen are looking for someone to accept appointment as a SAD44 director until the March Town Meeting. Ray Harrington resigned in October and no one has shown interest in replacing him, according to selectmen chair Marie Bartlett. Bartlett said she hoped someone would volunteer to enable the town to be fully represented until

### Hospital head resigns

NORWAY--Harrison Hahn, president of the board of trustees of the Western Maine Health Care Corporation, resigned Monday. He had been with Stephens Memorial Hospital for 27 years. A hospital press release said a "difference of opinion" between Hahn and the board on personnel policy issues led to the resignation. Margaret Hourigan RN, EdD, was appointed interim president of WMHCC and SMH. A transition team of trustees, medical staff, and management has been formed to guide the search process for a new president.

### Canadian killed in avalanche

TUCKERMAN RAVINE, N.H .-- A 19-year-old Canadian died Friday in an avalanche. Alexandre Cassan's body was found by a White Mountain National Forest snow ranger about an hour after the avalanche. Another companion was injured, while two others escaped unharmed. The group had bypassed an orange sign meant to steer climbers to a safer alternate route to the top of Mount Washington, and also ignored the warning of an Appalachian Mountain Club worker who told them to go back and use the new trail. Rangers said it was possible the Frenchspeaking hikers did not understand either the written or verbal warnings.

# Community Concepts gets \$75,000

PARIS--The Maine State Housing Authority has allocated \$700,000 in tederal housing funds to seven non-profit housing organizations, including \$75,000 to Community Concepts Inc. of South Paris, CCI plans to use the funds to provide a "soft second" mortgage for low-income, firsttime homebuyers in Androscoggin and Oxford counties.

# Local authors best sellers

BETHEL--Four books by Bethel authors are among the top-10 sellers at Bethel Books-n-Things. They include: "Mollyockett," a book of local history by Bethel's Cathy Newell (No.2); "The Bethel Illustrated History," by Randall Bennett of the Bethel Historical Society (No.4); "Maine Life," a pictorial history by Jack and Diane Barnes (No. 6); and "The White Mountains," a pictorial history by Randall Bennett (No. 10).

# Deegan goes to Bates

RUMFORD--Ron Deegan of Bryant Pond, the building, grounds, and transportation director for SAD43, will leave that post to become custodial manager for Bates College. He worked for SAD43 for four years, after serving 15 years as SAD44's assistant transportation director. In his new position at Bates, Deegan will oversee 70 employees and the upkeep of 70 buildings and 54 rentals.

# Desperate deer raid orchards, yards

CONCORD, N.H.--Harly snow and a dry summer have made it hard for deer to find food, and the desperate animals have raided orchards and shrubs for easier pickings. Orchardist Daniel Holt said up to 60 deer were foraging in his 150 acres. He finally got permission from the Fish and Game Department to kill six deer last month. The deer are also eating expensive shrubs in people's yards. "They completely devoured a yew bush," said Bill Taylor of Meriden. Last year Concord received 35 inches of snow. By last week, there was already 36.6 inches.

# New rules for telemarketers

WASHINGTON--Telemarketers who call consumers back after being told just once not to call again can now face legal action under federal rules that went into effect on Jan. 1. The Federal Trade Commission says the rules were designed to give consumers an easy-to-use tool to halt unwanted calls. All consumers have to do to stop a telemarketer from calling is simply ask the caller not to phone them again. If the firm does call again, it is breaking the law and consumers should report it to their state attorney general's office. The telemarketing sales rules also bar telemarketers from calling before 8 a.m. and after 9 p.m. When they do call, they must say they're trying to sell something before making a pitch.

# Equine logging easier on environment

PINE ISLAND, Minn .- Dan Rasmussen operates one of a few businesses that still use horses for logging. He began using horses to drag logs almost by accident. He had used his draft horses only in pulling conlogs almost by accident. He had used his draft horses only in putting contests. Then, about six years ago, someone asked him to pull some logs out of the woods with the horses to avoid having to make big roads for mechanical skidders. Someone else saw him working and asked him to do another job. Two jobs became dozens. "The horses have their niche here," said Rasmussen. "We are coming in here and doing a whole lot less damage to the younger trees." He calls it low-impact logging. When he's done, the woods aren't covered with wide roads, just a few small trails made by the horses. He can't brag about speed, though. A crew of these are four with a skidder can pull about 15,000 board feet of lumber. three or four with a skidder can pull about 15,000 board feet of lumber out of the woods in a day; Rasmussen can haul about 3,000.



# From the Bethel Police log:

Woman withdraws complaint after assailant moves

On Jan. 6 at 2:50 a.m. an officer was called to the Bethel Park Apartments for an assault complaint. A resident reported that a female had entered her residence and assaulted her by striking her several times in the head and face. She said she wanted to file charges. The officer spoke to the alleged assailant, who readily admitted to the assault. Both parties were given a statement and forms and were advised to stay away from each other, as further complaints would result in arrests. No further complaints were received. At 7 p.m. an officer met with the complainant to get her statement. She said she wanted to withdraw the complaint, saying she and the woman had had no further problems, and the other woman had apparently moved.

#### Thursday, Jan. 4

At 1 a.m. police were asked to be on the lookout for a Chrysler New Yorker with Rhode Island plates. The vehicle, occupied by five white males, was being sought by Sunday River Ski Resort security and an Oxford County Sheriff's deputy. The men were being sought regarding an assault and theft that occurred at the White Cap Lodge. A patrol of Route 2 had negative results.

At 11:20 p.m. an employee of the Sunday River Brewing Company called to report a group of five males causing problems and refusing to leave. On arrival police were advised that they had departed toward Sunday River in a blue Buick. The officer met with the bartender, who said the group had become upset over being shut off and had refused to leave when asked. No charges were filed.

At 7:09 p.m. a West Bethel Road resident reported that while he was away an unknown person had entered his unsecured residence and removed three snowboards valued at a total of \$1,600. He said he thought the landlord had taken them. The landlord said he had stopped in and saw the boards in plain view and had secured them until the complainant returned. At 10 p.m. the landlord came to the Police Department and requested an officer accompany him to the residence to

#### Saturday, Jan. 6

At 10:40 p.m. police came upon a vehicle off the road on Route 2. The driver said she lost control on the ice and slid off the road, getting stuck in a snowbank. She admitted she had been consuming alcohol. She was given a field sobriety test, which she passed with some difficulty. A tow truck was called to pull the vehicle back onto the road, and it was released to a friend of the subject who had not been drinking. The subject was released with a verbal warning that she was close to being legally intoxicated and subject to arrest.

At 11:44 p.m. police responded to a rescue call at an apartment at the corner of Route 2 and the Flat Road. The call was for two subjects bleeding as the result of a fight. During the course of the altercation both had fallen through a plate glass coffee table, sustaining numerous cuts. Both were treated by Bethel Rescue and refused transport. Neither wished to press charges, and would not say what started the fight. Both were told further problems coulds could result in arrests. Several bottles of beer were confiscated and dumped, as none of the residents were over 21.

#### Sunday, Jan. 7

At 12:15 p.m. a Mechanic Street resident reported two shepherd dogs at the lower end of the street were loose. He said when he passed by the Big Apple the dogs came out and barked and showed their teeth. There were no owners around. Police spoke with the former owner, who said he would advise the new owner to keep the dogs inside or tied up. Attempts to contact the Bethel animal control officer were unsuccessful.



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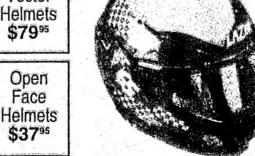


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### Restoration

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"It gives the house a castle-like look," said Oldakowski,

The Gothic Revival style also employed optical illusion. The clapboards at the bottom of the house are wider than those at the top giving the impression of greater height as one looks up at the build-

"The clapboards go from 10 inches at the bottom, to eight, to six at the top," Oldakowski said.

He and Keith were able to preserve the original clapboards on one side of the house. But they were hand-hewn and therefore all slightly different, making it difficult to blend them in with the front clapboards. However, with the addition of buttressing at the corners - also in keeping with the Gothic style -the contrast was minimized.

Oldakowski also had beveled, leaded glass sidelights installed on either side of the front door. He used mahogany framework for the sidelights, and also put in a solid mahogany door, A total of five colors of paint -- mostly different tones of green -- were used to finish off the house.

"I got the colors from the Califorpaints historical chart,' Oldakowski said.

The barn presented a major structural problem. It leaned away from the house, and the original rock foundation was crumbling. Oldakowski was able to avoid

replacing it through a less expensive shortcut. After jacking and straightening the barn, he backfilled around the foundation and put in a concrete slab for the floor. "It would have cost four times as

much to reset the foundation," he The overall work is now 90 per-

cent complete. How does the project look in hindsight? "I thought it would go faster, and

Still, Bennett says his concerns over "trendy" remodeling jobs are relatively mild.

alone," he said.

"I'd rather see it go this way than the way some other towns have gone," he said.

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By January 31, 1996 you must issue W-2 Forms to all household employees w

earned at least \$1,000 or more during 1995 or who had taxes withheld from their wages, regardless of total earnings. By February 29, you must send a copy of each W-2 to the Social Security Administration, along with a W-3 transmittal form. Thanks to a recent change in the law, you weren't required to file quarterly payroll

tax returns for household employees during 1995. However, you may be required to file "Schedule H" with your 1995 personal tax return. This new payroll tax form is required if you withheld any taxes from household wages during 1995, if you paid \$1,000 or more to any household employee at least 18 years old, or if you paid total nousehold wages of \$1,000 or more in any calendar quarter of 1995 or 1994.

When you file Schedule H, you must pay any taxes that you withheld from your employee's wages during 1995, as well as the employer's share of social security/medicare tax. You also may owe unemployment tax. For 1995, the IRS will allow you to pay household payroll taxes in one lump sum, due by the unextended due date of your tax return (generally April 15, 1996).

If you file Schedule H, or if you issue a W-2 Form to any household worker for 1995, the IRS now requires that you have an employer identification number (EIN). You can obtain an EIN by filing IRS Form SS-4.

The rales for how chold employees may have been simplified, but they are still far from easy. If you have questions or if you need assistance, please give us a call.

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SUN-JOURNAL Sunday

#### Runaways

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the accounts of witnesses at the scene, after police entered the motel room, Newcomb was ordered several times to drop the .357 caliber pistol he was holding.

Newcomb was shot when he pointed the gun at the two officers, said San Diego homicide Capt. Tom Hall.

The girls, who were on another bed, were unharmed.

"I think he made a decision that he wasn't going to go alive," Hall said. "He had plenty of opportunities to drop the gun and he did not. The officers asked him over and over to drop it. He did respond once or twice, "I can't." The of-ficers said, "You can, just let the gun go." He pointed it at the officers. He made the choice to shoot

or get shot, which he did."
Hall said he did not know if Newcomb fired a shot.

Following department policy, the two officers involved were put on paid administrative assignment while the shooting is investigated. Hall said.

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Currently, there are 22 employees

based in Bethel, according to Ban-corp, regional executive Phil Jack-

son. The number is down by two

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Delamater said the new company

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Bethel in any fashion," he said. "We

think Bethel is a growing market."

remains committed to Bethel.

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ducts and services."

gation by the police for nearly a month prior to the Boxing Day

"We started asking questions about him just after Thanksgiving, specifically about (Haney and Smith)," Miclon said.

Haney said she believed her daughter was intrigued by the recently divorced father and that she was a sort of go-between for Smith and Newcomb.

Several letters exchanged by Smith and Newcomb and discovered by police indicated the two were close and had been since at least last summer. However, Oxford County Sheriff's Department Detective Capt. James Miclon refuted some news accounts that stated the relationship was of a sexual nature.

"We have no statements and no physical evidence to prove that Haney, Newcomb and Smith were involved," Miclon reported.

Miclon also said Smith had been forbidden to associate with Newcomb by her parents.

They had forbidden (Smith) to be with Mr. Newcomb, It was our feel-

Portland) to Lewiston/Auburn be-

cause that community is central to

the bank's service area, Delamater

said. Other Bancorp subsidiaries,

such as ASI Data Services, Inc., and

First New England Benefits, al-

ready are located in the Lewiston

area. In addition, once regulatory

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another office in Auburn, known as the "Engine House," will become the bank's executive offices. A new

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ing and the parents' that things had sort of corrected themselves, but apparently not," Miclon said.

Mrs. Haney said she believed her daughter relished the attention she got from acting as a go-between for Smith and Newcomb.

"Phalan looked at him as a sort of father figure. He knew all the right things to say to her. He knew what made her tick," Haney said, adding, "I believe they were using Phalan as

a go-between."

Haney said in retrospect she remembers her daughter would get telephone calls from Smith and then would go to the seclusion of her room to call Newcomb. At one point, Haney found Newcomb's work telephone number in her daughter's room, she said.

Both girls befriended Newcomb through his daughter and police have reported several teen-agers began frequenting his Main St., Andover, home several months ago.

Newcomb, police reported, kept psychological profiles on both Smith and Haney and at least one other girl. The profiles, however, were not sexually oriented, police

approach to its future fits very well

with our strategic plans. We look

forward to growing with the com-

Regulatory approval of the merger is expected within 90 days,

Delamater said. Once approval is obtained, the work of conversion will begin. "We actually will be

creating new jobs," he added. "All

of this is very positive and our em-ployees are looking forward to the

challenge and opportunities created by this merger and location in L/A." The name "Northeast," Delameter

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dents last week to discuss the events. "The kids got a lot out of it," Hannon said.

Murray makes regularly scheduled visits to Telstar, The groups discuss, for example, how to recognize abusive

guidance counselors will continue to be available for any student who wants to talk.

"If any parents are seeing a reaction at home, they should feel free to call us. I had a couple of calls last week," said Hannon.

The reality of what happened on the other side of the country will take a while to sink in in Andover, LaVallee said she asked an Andover student how people in the small town were reacting to the events.

"She said, 'It just doesn't seem real,'" said La Vallee.

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gency, he wants to be prepared, just

So using a mountaineering book as a guide, he built his backyard ice

block shelter last week, Because of the light consistency of the snow on the ground, he had

cheat a little. "I took it from where it had been shoveled off the roof (of his apart-

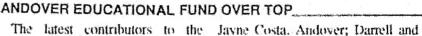
ment)," he said. That snow was hard-packed enough to work with. "Wet or wind-packed snow is the best," he said. "In these conditions (on a

woods hike), you'd probably have to build a snow cave.' Using an old-fashioned ice saw, Buck cut the packed snow into blocks. He built a raised floor from snow as well, to hold heat in the

The shelter was done in two hours.

Buck plans to test it out by sleeping in it overnight.

His next step will be to build an igloo under natural conditions -- on a wilderness hike in the Bethel area. After that, he hopes, he'll be ready to take on the Alaskan wilderness.



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# Blood drive Friday at skiway

A Red Cross blood drive will take (17 with a signed American Red place on Friday, Jan. 12, at the Southridge Lodge at Sunday River

Wednesday, January 10, 1996

Blood collection will be from 12 noon to 6 p.m. on the cafeteria level of the lodge. The collection goal is 80 units of blood.

The Red Cross was short 500 units for the last two weeks of December, according to spokesman Leigh McFarlin, The shortage was caused by blood-drive cancellations due to snowstorms, flu season, and holiday preparations.

The shortfall will put a strain on meeting Maine's hospital blood needs in January, traditionally a high usage month.

Blood donors must be 18 or older

Cross consent form), weigh 110 pounds, have not donated within the

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For more information call John DeVivo at 824-3000, ext. 374, or Leigh McFarlin at 1-800-482-0743.

### FROM THE

Many thanks to Patrice Beaudoin, owner of the Matterhorn Wood Fired Pizza Restaurant, for hosting the Business After Hours this past Monday.

All chamber members should be on the lookout for the SAD44 Adult Education winter flyer, as there are some course offerings that are in response to the chamber's 1995 education and training survey. Specifically, a phone etiquette course is planned and the Maine Servers course. Adult Education is also willing to schedule a first aid and/or CPR training course for a group if there is a need. Please be in touch with them

#### SKI FOR THE HEART OF IT\_

event on Feb. 10, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Carter's Cross Country Ski Center on Route 26 in Oxford.

Called "Ski for the Heart of it!," the emphasis will be on hearthealthy exercise and food. Discount trail passes will be available directly from the ski center. For a small additional fee, participants will be able to join in the fun while raising funds in support of home health services. There will be heart healthy

#### CHRISTIAN WOMEN UNITED

The Christian Women United will hold their monthly meeting at Shorelands in Harrison on Tuesday, Jan. 16. Luncheon will be served at 11:30 a.m. The speaker for the day will be Alice Files from Auburn. Music will be furnished by Janet LeBlanc from Oxford.

Those who have not been contacted but would like a reservation may call Leona Whitney at 743-5724, or Pearl Anderson at 743-5724 by Wednesday, Jan. 10.

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# Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce

The chamber would like to welcome our newest member, Blue Mountains Country Inn on the Jed Martin Road in Rumford Point, owners Carol and Robert Nichols. We have tentatively scheduled a Business After

The Board of Directors will meet this Thursday, Jan. 11, at the Crescent Park School Conference Room for the regularly scheduled monthly

lodge.

#### Androscoggin Home Health Ser- snacks and lunch; family activities vices is planning a cross-country ski in addition to cross-country skiing; and the popular local band,

All proceeds raised will be used to support the mission of Androscoggin Home Health Services, to provide needed comprehensive health services which help people remain safely and independently in their homes and communities.

"Ultimate Country," will provide

music from noon to 2 p.m. in the

### HOME REPAIR LOANS

Community Concepts, Inc. has a home repair loan program designed specifically for home owners who reside in the home. The home may be a single family home or an apartment building with up to four apartments, as long as the owner resides in the building. Residents of Androscoggin and Oxford counties may apply for this program.

People applying for this program will be assisted with the application process by staff of Community Concepts. The money loaned this program through homeowners is from the Maine State Housing Authority. There is no application fee and the loan money is very flexible. Working families are encouraged to apply.

The loan amount can be as high as \$15,000 at an interest rate of 1 percent or 4 percent depending on the type of loan. Loans can be for septic systems, wells, roofs, insulation and other basic home repairs. This loan program may also be used to replace a home if the current home does not meet Housing Quality Standards for safe, sanitary and healthy living space.

Many homeowners think that because it is winter that they should wait to apply for loans in the spring. Community Concepts encourages prospective borrowers to apply now and get the loan approved. Some repairs can be done now and others will be done in the spring.

Dana Stevens, Home Repair Program manager, said, "It is important that people realize that poor past credit history will not necessarily keep a person from qualifying for a loan through this program. If a person had credit problems in the past but is now making payments on time, they may be eligible for a loan. What a person's credit is at the time of application is what is important."

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# From the UM Cooperative Extension:

During the winter months, especially when the snow is deep, many people feel inclined to feed deer to try to help them through the difficult winter months. While your heart and your intentions may be in the right place, unfortunately, you may be doing more harm than good. Consider:

-- As a method of winter survival, a deer's digestive system has evolved so that it is able to digest and extract the nutrients from twigs and conifer needles. What this means is that sometime during the late summer or early fall, a deer's digestive system slowly changes so that it adapts to the changing available browse -- from lush green summer grasses to dry, woody twigs and stems.

-- It takes three to six weeks for a deer to adjust to a

change in diet. Feeding deer grain or baled hay in January or February may make you feel good, but the deer's stomach microbes will not be able to digest it. The end result is that the deer feels full, but hasn't

"eaten" anything in terms of nutrients. -- In addition to not getting proper nutrition, feeding deer in your yard encourages them to loiter in an open area leaving them vulnerable to predation. Also, remember that the deer may come to like your property and visit it during the summer when your garden

and fruit trees provide a tasty snack. -- For survival of a healthy deer population, it is best to let Mother Nature take her course. Feeding a small amount of grain or hay intermittently throughout the winter may actually do more harm than good.

#### SAFER HANG-OUTS

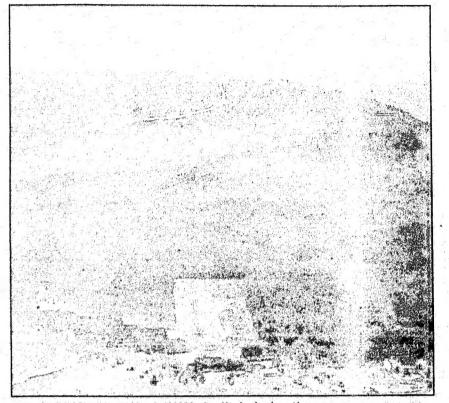
An after-school Safe Hang-out program, sponsored by the Western Maine Partnership in cooperation with the United Methodist Church, is now in operation.

All Telstar students are invited to participate. The hours of operation are 3 to 6 p.m., Monday through Thursday and it is located in the Multi-purpose Room of the United Methodist Church. The purpose of the program is to provide a place where students may gather, listen to music, do homework, or just hang

There are two computers and the program is manned by qualified volunteers who can help with homework, if students need assistance. There is a cassette/CD player available so that students may provide their favorite music. It is hoped that students will take an active part in the running and management of this program.

To find out more about the program, students may see Jessica Coolidge or Tim Nickerson. Adults interested in volunteering for this may contact program Saunders. Donations of board games, computer paper, and refreshments are being sought.

Anyone who is interested in the program is invited to visit. The entrance to the annex is between the church and Brooks Bros., toward the back of the church.



NO, THEY WENT THIS-A-WAY-A glitch during the pre-press process for last week's edition of The Citizen distorted the route of the lost Sunday River skier and his rescuers. The photo above shows the correct route; the arrow indicates where, behind a ridge, the skier was found.



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# Andover



Karen McKay Andover Public Library recently received a grant

from the Maine

Charity Founda-

tion Fund in the amount of \$1,000. The grant is to be used to dehumidify the basement of the library and to purchase shelving for the basement.

Get those returnable cans and bottles gathered and ready for collection. The sixth grade at AES will be holding a bottle drive on Saturday, Jan. 13 beginning at 8:30 a.m. until the routes are completed. Any sixth-grade parent who can help should meet at the school at 8:30 a.m. so routes can be designated. Monies earned from this drive will

go toward the year-end field trip.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. James Geodrick of Farmers Hill Road, East Andovewr, They welcomed a son, Stewart, on Nov. 28,

Mrs. Eduh Hall Russell of Concord, N.H. spent last week with her mother. Dot Hutchins who is 89 years old, while her sister Dorothy was hospitalized.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney L. Swain and family have returned to their home in Jericho. Vt. after visiting with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Swain and brother Ross. While here they enjoyed the wonderful snowmobiling.

Welcome to Mr. and Mrs. M. Rod Davidson and children of Greeenwood who have relocated to East Andover, residing near the fire sta-116711.

Betty Moore and her sister, Bearrice Schneider entertained 12 members, and a guest, of the Hast Andover Community Club for the holiday meeting. The club designated members to entertain beamning with the hostess for February. Mystery Sisters were revealed and new names drawn. A gift from the club was presented to Eldora Jones. She and her husband Sidney celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Dec. 29, 1995. The secretary's annual report will be read on Feb. 12 when the club meets, with Evelyn Bell and Dolly Jones as from the Wilton area.

hostesses. The treasurer reported 15 members in the club, including three Charter members. A delicious luncheon was served and gifts exchanged. The East Andover Community Club was formed in November of 1938. Each year \$50 is given to an Andover Telstar Senior as well as money to the Calvary Congregational Sunday School. Money is set aside for Pilgrim Lodge participants from the First Congregational Church Sunday School. In 1995 a new fire house sign was made to replace one that the club had done in 1960. There are 30 community residents over 70 years of age. Margaret Smith is the oldest lady and George Crooker the oldest gentleman. In June Mr. Crooker will be 90 and in July Mrs. Smith will turn 94.

Keith and Janet Farrington, and children James, Andrew and Amy of Governors Island, N.Y. visited with relatives over the holidays.

Congratulations to April and Joseph Richard of Mexico who welcomed a son, Joseph Lance, on Dec. 21, 1995 weighing 6 pounds, 5 ounces. Joseph joins an older sister, Samara who is 5 years old. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Larry Yates of Andover, Joseph and Marjorie Richard of Mexico are the paternal grandparents.

The Andover senior citizens have been meeting on Thursdays to have their meal at the Elementary School. The group wishes to thank Mrs. Meisner's second-grade class who made the group Halloween placemats, cookies, a Thanksgiving turkey decorations and a Santa filled with popcorn. Class members making the decoration included Steven Andexler, Daniel Chenery, Blake Conrad, Sherry Downs, Cindy Farrington, Jessica Farrington, Crystal Mathews, Kayla Mills and Stephen Scottie. Thanks also to Bev Swan, the cook, for the special care she gives the diners. Wishing all a happy and blessed New Year from Betty Moore and the Site 14

Andover senior citizens. the kidnapping event has ended, and program on Ritualism. There will be the girls returned safely from Cali- a 6/30 p.m. supper. fornia. Lewis "Danny" Newcomb was fatally shot by the San Diego meet at the Community Room in the police. Newcomb moved his family. Town: Annex on Wednesday, Jan. to town several years ago. He was 17. The program will be on ribbon

# East Bethel



Nancy Mercer The bear in East Bethel did not give up and go away. It was shot. The war-

dens believed it just couldn't get enough to eat. The drought had killed its natural foods. The bear weighed only 190 pounds, not much for a full-grown bear.

Elise Grant of Laurel, Md., and Alice Grant of Cape Elizabeth visited Leslie Noyes and Nina Mollicone on Dec. 31.

Jack and Lucy Nordahl's daughter and her family from Connecticut visited for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Howe and Stanley Howe had Christmas Eve dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Allan Howe and family.
Peggy Coolidge had Christmas

dinner with Daisy Coolidge.

Andre and Flossie Bernier had a big New Year's or Old Year Out party on Dec. 31. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Pelletier of Manchester, N.H., came on Dec. 30 and returned home on Jan. 1.

hope everyone had a good Christmas and wish everyone the best for 1996.

# Bryant Pond



Alice Hoyt. The Bryant Pond hour on Channel IV TV has been changed from

Tuesday to

Wednesday at 4 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 16, is the annual business meeting at the Baptist Church. Please have your reports in by Jan. 12. Good News Club meets each week at W.E.S. from 2:30 to 5:45 p.m.

Franklin Grange 124 will meet on Everyone is relieved and trankful. Jan. 15 for a regular meeting and a

> The Woodstock Extension will embroidery.

Curator Larry Billings has given some small dishes to the Historical Society. The society gathers many interesting items for the public to see. What appeals to you about the

The Historical Society thanks the Research Committee for its dedication. Ruby Emery is noted especially for her study of local history, but other members, including Olive Risko, Earle Noyes and Alice Hoyt are active as well. The committees' monthly reports, often read by Olive Risko, are a familiar part of every meeting. Curator Larry Billings has been reading a biography of Maine poet Edwin Arlington Robinson.

# East Stoneham



Eleanor Nelson Hi readers --Happy and Healthy New Year to you all in 1996, Sorry I missed a week

of news, but Christmas and New Year's company and baking, etc., and the flu set me back a bit. Now to get back on schedule.

We got sad news last week that my cousin Violet Doughty had passed away. Our sympathy and prayers go out to her nieces, nephews and friends. She had led a very busy life and now is at rest. Eric Nelson and friend went to our

camp in Wilson's Mills on Saturday to check things out and found everything OK. He shoveled off the porch roof. They found the snow was waist deep there and they are still logging by "our turn."

Saturday night, we got to go to a different restaurant -- Jim's Jungle in Lewiston. Our son and wife and grandson (Albert Jr., Carole and Troy) took us out to supper and it was just great. It was for a belated or early anniversary gift, or maybe both. Thanks, Gene and Carole! We also got three other gift certificates to restaurants, so I guess we won't starve. Thanks, everyone!

On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Russell from Norway called on Edd and Arlene Bermer of Apache Frances Grant. On Monday, Julie Junction, Ariz., have been visiting from Lewiston visited Frances

There's a lot of fish houses and North Newry fishermen with their traps on the lakes now. This is a good winter sport and the snowmobilers and skiers are in their glory with all this snow, and today we are getting more. What a difference from last

Nate Smith is at home from being in the hospital. Carleton Barker is at home from the hospital. Jim Morrison is still in the Maine Medical

Church for supper and meeting on Tuesday, Jan. 9.

Jan. 11 is East Stoneham Church meeting at the home of Mary Grover and the United Parish meeting at North Waterford on Jan. 17. The January calendar is getting quite filled up already with dates of goings on.

There was a good crowd at the sliding party at Earl and Jean Littlefield's on Saturday afternoon, with about 30 young and young-atheart people. Afterward, about 40 people of the Snowmobile Club met at Eben and Alice Harmon's for a potluck supper and visiting.

# Upton



Arline Bernier Marie Aron, newly elected at the town meet-

ing in March

1995, has resigned as town clerk, treasurer and tax collector.

The snow continues to fall up here. It is doubtful that the oldtashioned winter yearners are still

Farris and Jennie, Beth and Ben friends and relatives in Upton and surrounding area during their



Gil Seeley

"A True Story" A friend of mine (no name please) coming out of a grocery store,

envelope on the ground with a sum Center in Portland but is getting of money in it. After some running along well and hopes to come home around and some investigating, the by next weekend. That is good owner of the money was contacted Norway Color Center has put a grocery store. They met. The money new carpet in the "new" room at the was turned over to the owner, who Stoneham Fire Station. The Knight was very happy. The friend who Riders Snowmobile Club will be found the money was very happy. meeting there on Tuesday, Jan. 9.

The Oxford County Republicans will meet at North Waterford Still some honest people in this

Happy Birthday to Sylvia Wight, Gail Sysko, Julia Goodwin (Karlene's mother) and Bret Bachelder (her grandson). "Anytime is a perfect time to wish the best for you. But, that especially applies when you have a birthday due. Have a wonderful day."

We didn't make it to the Oxford Lanes in Rumford last week. We started at 8 a.m. Karlene Bachelder, Betsy Clark, Rena Powers (who is home for awhile) and yours truly. We stopped for breakfast on the way, it had started snowing a little, we decided to do our grocery shopping first, but by that time it was snowing very hard and it was bad driving, we decided to come home and go some other day.
"Caution is the eldest child of wis-

# Bethel

The family of Hilda Donahue is having an open house for her 90th birthday on Saturday, Jan. 13, at her home on Church Street from 2 to 5

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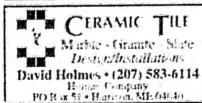
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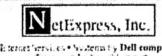
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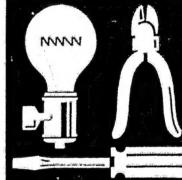
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The sky is cloud-skudded blue; the trees cast cool shadows on the hills. It's a new

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year. The sun on lifted face brings back the thoughts of childhood.

When time has had its way, I'll remember these: rainbows and laughter, especially laughter, summer fragrance spilled and the brightness of morning. The orchard with twisted boughs where shadows crept through. The night wind with a silver tongue made music while the garden slept. An old moon smiled and you and I were young.

There was strange magic, and it's still strange, that the heart holds beauty through tears and bitter hours. But past winter's dearth finds the loveliness of flowers. In keeping tryst with memory's ghost it is said, "Never go back to that you once loved most." So in summing up the good and bad, I would not ask for more than I had.

On New Year's eve several of my nephews and nieces took their snowmobiles to the top of Noyes Mountain, to the spot where the snowman stood in his red coat last winter. They had flares which were seen by some traveling the Norway Road. They were lighting in 1996. The fun that they had was as much or more than the fireworks in the big cities. I am sure they will remember the ledges wrapped in sleep, the moving of the breeze singing its lonely song or whispering softly to the empty night and across the valley, winter-white.

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Tilsley and children have returned home from a visit with relatives in Florida. They brought the Holts some fruit, including a grapetruit like none we had ready for school after vacation. ever seen. It measured seven inches m diameter.

One of the Inman's granddaughters spent the weekend with

wrist. Her two daughters, Lillian and Colista, came to help her with her

Lucy Wilcox of West Sumner surgery and Bill is recuperating and soon. came to visit me on Monday. It was receiving therapy at the Norway

nice to see her again. She also called Convalescent Center. to see Ann Holt. Lucy lived here

been friends for a long time.

My snowman (Curtis) about whom I wrote last week is still standing but tipping a bit. He has lost his black eye and his red nose. I have warned him that his driving license will be taken away if he doesn't stay straight.

We were saddened by the death of Ruth Hanscom. She has been our summer neighbor for many years. She will be missed and we extend our sympathy to her family.

# Songo Pond



Alice Kimball

A very chilly -23 degrees ear-lier this morning and some gusty winds out from the North

following on the heels of nearly a foot of new snow Thursday. Not much going on. A lot of ski

traffic mornings and afternoons. We were elated to see a pileated woodpecker on one of the big trees in front of the house Sunday morning. But where are all the little birds? spent a few days at Christmas

time with the Adamses in Hanover. Last Saturday, Norma and David hosted a family holiday party. Attending were Brandon and Tara Salway of Old Orchard Beach, Bernie and Kassi Gatchell and Kaity from Portland, Sylvia Swan, Sheri, Tami and Christopher from Auburn, Ethel and Craig Turner, Amber and Jon Bean, Sarah and fiance of Otisfield, Dottie and Herbie Adams of Hanover and myself.

Kaity also spent overnight with us. Her grandfather took her to meet her mother Sunday p.m. while Norma went to school to get her classroom

Mark Hindman brought and prepared a holiday dinner with his grandmother and cleaned up after-

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Folsom en-Rena recently had surgery on her tertained a family gathering of 17 at their newly remodeled home here. Mrs. Phyllis Bancroft is able to things that need to be discussed. drive again now after her knee Date and time will be in this column

Others having any items of interest during her childhood, so they have please give me a call. People from away like to read about what is going on back home.

Faith is building on what you know is here, so you can reach what you know is there.

A Blessed New Year to All.

# North Woodstock



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Welcome to 1996 everyone. Hope that all of celebrated did it

responsibly. There was good attendance at the hymn sing in the Pinhook Community Building on Friday night, with 28 present.

Sterling and Irene Mills brought home movies out to the home of Emma Billings on Sunday evening that were enjoyed by Mac, Tammy, Bridget and Shane Billings, Linda Tyler, Sue, Tony, Joelle and Errol Silver, Louise Chapman, and Emma

The movies were of Penley and Mills' logging operations in the 50s and 60s. Homemade ice cream was enjoyed after the show. Many thanks to Sterl for taking time out to show them.

Norma Davis is returning to work after her surgery.

Sue and Tony Silver enjoyed an afternoon of snowshoeing on Sun-day and saw tracks of all kinds of

Louise Chapman chaperoned a chem-free dance for SAD43 students on Sunday night and reported a good turnout.

# South Woodstock



Andrea Wing Watch for news on an upcoming meeting of the Willing Workers Organization.

There are many

Vernon and Tammy Davis enter-

year. There were 33 family members present. On Christmas Tommy Poland went around to each child's home and spent awhile there while they opened presents. Christmas Day was spent with her husband, Vernon, at Ledgeview Nursing Home. The family always enjoys getting together and always have a

I am disappointed I did not have a chance to get to see Phyllis Lowe's Christmas decorations in her home. Phyllis called and invited me to stop by if I had a chance. I went last year and was very impressed at all the work and imagination that went into the decorating. It has been a busy time and hopefully she'll have it again next year and I can make it.

I received a picture and letter from my nephew, Gary and Rosie Critser who live in California. They have a little boy, Nathan, who I have seen just once. He is very cute and quite a handful by the sound of the letter.

There was a good picture of Dani Littlehale in the Citizen last week. She was playing basketball at Telstar and her father, Jeff, says she just loves it. I also noticed this week that Heath Poland and Caesar Morgan have been playing good basketball for Telstar.

Joe Pete and Joshua Appleby went ice fishing the first day of fishing and Joshua got a 23-inch pickerel and his grandfather Joe Pete got a 19.5" pickeral.

Miranda Pepin has been staying with her great-grandparents, Laurene and Joe Pete Appleby this past weekend.

In early December, Nicholas and Marta Clements spent a weekend in Weare, N.H. to attend the christening of their granddaughter, Sarah. Sarah is the daughter of Bruce and Cynthia Clements. Sarah's christening gown has been in Cynthia's family for over 100 years. According to her grandparents, she was simply beautiful. Nicholas and Marta Clements spent a few days over Christmas in the Belfast area visiting relatives. They began the festivities at the home of Karl and Charlotte Thompson. They were joined by Marta's brother and wife, John and Cathy Tohde, and their sister, Shirley Harvey. Shirley's son and family from Stockton Springs

were able to be there, also,

tained her family for Christmas this Swanville with Nick's family, visiting Rita Stone, Jeff and Lourdes Brazier and sons, Nicholas, Elijah and Josiah, Fannie Brazier, Steve Clements, as well as Nick's mother, Margaret Clements. Nicholas and Marta attended the Christmas Eve candlelight service at the North Searsport Union Church with his sister, Rita Stone. The pastor of this church, Ernie Farrar is originally from this area, and is the former pastor of the Methodist Church in South Paris. He and his family are

Nicholas and Marta Clements plan to fly to Newark, Del. to attend the graduation of their son, David, on Jan. 6. David will receive his PhD from the University of Delaware. An added bonus is a chance to see their granddaughter, Carolyn, for the

Those celebrating birthdays the first month of this new year are: Ann Buck, Jane Chandler, James Gallagher, Victor Hart, Lisa Mack, Todd Poland, Stacy Tilley and Matt

Curator Larry Billings, Woodstock Historical Society, reports that Ruby Emery has written many books on local history that she has donated to the museum. Other members of the committee give monthly reports on historical topics of interest at the meetings. Olive Risko reads many of these. Much thanks to this active

Quote of the Week: "I've learned that people pay more to be amused than to be educated."

# <u> High Street</u>



West Paris

Russell Yates Howdy, friends. This is Monday, the first day of 1996, and time for me to start my news for the

Citizen. It's a beautiful day out there, but the air is a bit nippy. We've had quite a break from the snowstorms, but according to the man on TV, it isn't going to last much longer.

I expect that you've all made some new resolutions for the New Year, but will you stick with them? I'm Time was spent in Searsport and not going to make any new resolu-

tions then I can't break them.

Peggy had business down street last Tuesday forenoon, but I stayed home and got my news ready to send. I then worked on a 1,000piece picture puzzle that we are in the process of putting together. It will be a beautiful picture if we finally get it finished.

It snowed a little during the night

on Tuesday. Wednesday forenoon, I cleared a path up across Peggy's little house with the snow blower. The wind had caused the snow to drift into it and it was nearly full again.

Wednesday

Later

Wynona Woolf and her two daughters, Courtney and Karyann, from Auburn came to dinner and a short visit. Wynona was our sister Viva's daughter. They couldn't stay very long as Wynona had an appointment at 2:30 with Dr. Shedd in Bridgton. We were glad to see them as they are a very busy family and we don't get to visit with them very often.

We were down street Friday forenoon to get our weekly supply of groceries and to take care of some errands. I had to have a prescription filled at Rite Aid Drug Store.

Sister Peggy and Doc Merrill at-tended the New Year's dance at Locke Mills Town Hall last evening and stayed until after the dropping of the balloons on the stroke of midnight. There were nearly 90 people at the dance and all enjoyed a buffet lunch between 10 and 11 p.m. They have the New Year's Dance there each year and the buffet lunch and balloons are part of the party.

Christina Morse from North Norway visited the Archie Lovejoy family Friday afternoon and evening.

On Saturday, the Lovejoy family picked up Helena Bartlett at the Bethel House, along with her food donations, and with their food donations they all visited Eleanor Emmons on the Harrison Road, where they had supper and a good visit.

Clarabelle Holden from Oxford was a Sunday caller at the Lovejoy

There will be a dance at the Locke Mills Town Hall on Jan. 13, with music by the Richard Felt Orchestra.

Don't forget, folks, when you're making your dates, this is now 1996 and we will still be using 1995 unless we're really thinking about it.

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# School sports

# High school girls' varsity basketball

Mt. Abram 92, Telstar 42

Jan. 3--Sarah Richardson scored 14 points and Beth Howe 11 in a loss to Mt. Abram. Richardson also had two three-point goals, and Howe one. "The quickness and constant pressure applied by the Roadrunners took their toll on the Rebels, as they committed 20 turnovers in the first half. That, coupled with the four- and five-girl substitutions made by Mt. Abram led to an easy win for the Roadrunners," said coach Ray Seames.

#### Mountain Valley 53, Telstar 44

Jan. 4--Beth Howe had 19 points, Sarah Richardson 14, and Jana Mason nine as the Rebels lost to Mountain Valley. Mason also had 10 rebounds, while Richardson added six. The Rebels outrebounded the Falcons, had fewer turnovers, and created more shot opportunities, according to coach Ray Seames. Telstar shot only 29 percent from the floor and 55 percent from the line, while Mountain Valley shot 46 percent from the floor and 88 percent from the line.

#### Telstar 57, Livermore Falls 49

Jan. 6-Beth Howe scored 29 points and had eight rebounds, eight steals, and two assists in a victory over Livermore Falls. She moved into sixth place on Telstar's all-time list for most points in a game. Sarah Richardson had eight points and 10 assists, Sarah Seames eight points, and Jana Mason 10 rebounds. Coach Ray Seames said, "The Andies played a tight zone defense that the Rebels had trouble solving as they found themselves down by nine at the end of the first quarter. Telstar changed their press twice before finding one in the second quarter that gave the Andies trouble. With constant pressure on the ball and a working press, the Rebels needed three quarters to dig their way out of the hole. Up by seven midway through the fourth, we had to survive a run by the Andies in the last two minutes before putting the game away."

### Junior varsity

Mt. Abram 50, Telstar 16

Jan. 3--Erin Osgood led Telstar with four points as the Rebels were defeated by Mt. Abram.

# High school boys' basketball

Telstar 68, Lisbon 45

Jan. 4-- Tony Buker scored 13 points and Cory Koch 12 in a win over Lisbon. Buker also had three assists, as did Caesar Morgan. Jason Berry and Wade Luxton collected 11 and eight rebounds, respectively.

#### Valley 64, Gould 38

Jan. 6--Though they managed to gain an early five point lead in the first quarter. Gould's hoopsters were a bit rusty from their two week winter vacation as they battled Valley High School in Famsworth Field House Saturday night. Valley took control in the second and never looked back beating the Huskies 64-38. Gould's scoring was led by semor forward Lanny Popoola with 13 points.

# Junior varsity

Lisbon 50, Telstar 33

Jan. 4-Nate Whitworth scored 11 points in a loss to Lisbon.

### Valley 41, Gould 31

Jan. 6--Valley High School rallied back from a 15 point first half deficit in Farnsworth Field House Saturday night and beat the Huskies 41-31. Juniars Ki-Won Chor and Matt Lemieux shared Gould's top scoring with seven primis each.

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GOULD'S ELIAS LEADS HUSKIES TO VICTORY IN NUMBING NOR-DIC RACE-Despite temperatures hovering near zero degrees Fahrenheit, Gould Academy's Joran Elias '97 raced to a 2nd-place finish in Saturday's Hornet Classic at Leavitt High School in Turner. Elias covered the 5-kilometer course in 13 minutes and 42 seconds. Elias, along with teammates, Adrian Anderson (4th), Scot Sawyer (5th), and Amos Hausman-Rogers (25th), won the boys' event with



# Middle school boys' basketball

Telstar 48, Gorham (N.H.) 28

Jan. 4-Balanced scoring and aggressive play carried the Rebels to victory over Gorham. Point scorers; Will Seames, 13; Ross Baker, nine; Greg Koch, eight; Spencer Glover, eight. "The team challenged the defense and made moves to the basket," said coach Tim O'Connor.

# Middle school boys' J.V. basketball

Telstar 34, Buckfield 24

Jan. 5--Kaleb Durgin scored nine points, Alex Johnson six, and Matt Moore five as the Rebels won their first game of the season. "We held Buckfield to just 12 points through three quarters. Our defense had them totally confused. The kids played great. It always feels good to get a win," said coach Jeff Philbrick.

# Middle school girls' J.V. basketball

Buckfield 29, Telstar 25

Jan. 5--Mariah Seames scored eight points, Kelly Rosenburg six, Amanda Miclon five, and Crystal Cash four in a loss to Buckfield. "Amanda Miclon had four steals on defense. Lynsey Brown played great defense on a girl much taller than she is. Crystal Cash and Mariah Seames added good pressure to the guards," said coach Mike Thompson. "We held leads of four to 10 points through the entire game. The Bucks fought hard and took the lead in the last 30 seconds of a thrilling game."

# High school alpine skiing

Telstar boys over Mt. Blue, Mountain Valley, Edward Little Jan. 4--Josh Adams finished second, Matt Hiebert third, and Chris Vaughan 10th as Telstar won a four-team meet at Sunday River. Sam Sayen, Adam Newell, and Kurt Thurston were 13th, 15th, and 16th, respectively. For the girls, Malinda Gilbert finished third.

#### Gould dominates Shawnee Peak G.S

Jan. 5--In the first Maine Independent School League (MAISAD) race of the season, a giant slalom at Shawnee Peak, Gould placed four skiers in the top ten of the boys' race and two in the top three of the girls' event. Gould senior Corey Roderick won the boys' event with a combined time of one minute and 3.63 seconds. Brett Harvey '98 took second in 1:03.74, Kevin Broderick '99 was eighth in 1:06.07, while Brian McLaughlin '99 rounded out the top ten in 1:06.83. Christine Monzel '98 took first place for the girls with a time of 1:07.18 and Liz Rosenthal '99 placed third in 1:09.90. Both races were individual events; no team scores were tallied,

#### **Drummond wins USSA Slalom**

Jan. 7.-In other alpine racing news, Ben Drummond '99 won a United States Ski Association JIII (13 and 14 year olds) boys' slafom event at Shawnee Peak on Sunday while teammate Liz Rosenthal placed third among the girls. The top 13 and 14 year old racers in Maine were represented at the event.

# Cross-country skiing

Gould boys win Hornet Classic

Jan. 6--With three finishers in the top five at Saturday's Hornet Classic at Leavitt High School, Gould won the boys' 5 kilometer classic race with 36 points. Maranacook placed second (63) and Mt. Blue third (68) in the 14 team event. Gould junior Joran Elias took second place overall with a time of 13 minutes and 42 seconds. Adrian Anderson '98 placed 4th in 14:18, and Scot Sawyer '97 placed 5th in 14:23. Amos Hausman-Rogers '97 founded out Gould's scoring placing 25th in 16:20.



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Marta Clements

Despite the first snowstorm of 1996, and another day missed from school, we are all glad to be

back. We hope everyone had a great The second quarter closes on January 25, and this school year will be half over. Time really does seem to

fly.
We are already lining up our January activities. Plans are underway nual honor of designing our penses of the program. Klondike buttons. That same day the Classroom news to be children will be going home at year includes the first writing as-12:30 p.m., as it is an early release signment for grade six: What would

Monday, Jan. 15 is Martin Luther are talking about New Year's King Day, and there will be no Resolutions and thinking about how King Day, and there will be no school.

Tuesday, Jan. 16, a parent in-formational meeting will be held in the library at 6 p.m. Our school nurse, Allison Whitney, will explain and show material that will be used in teaching the fifth-graders about the reproductive system. The class is currently learning about all the body

systems. Wednesday, Jan. 17, will find all fifth-graders and their friends and relatives attending their D.A.R.E. graduation. The children have learned a lot about resisting drugs for a change of date for our annual and alcohol, and we wish to thank Klondike Derby. We will be holding Deputy Dane Tripp for all his efforts this event during the morning of Pri-day, Jan. 12. Each class will be par-wish to thank members of the ticipating in a combination of Masonic body, Granite Chapter athletic and academic competition. #182 of West Paris, for their dona-The sixth-graders will have the an-tion of money to help in the ex-

Classroom news to begin the new day. Faculty will be working on our you change in this new year, 1996? School Improvement Plan. Explain why. The second-graders

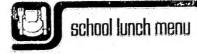
they can do better for 1996. Setting personal goals is important to all ages. The second- and third-graders are beginning a program called guided reading. They will be bring-ing home some of their books to be reading at home. Mrs. Mullen in first grade is also encouraging her parents to question their children about what they are learning in school. They do love to share their newly acquired knowledge. In science they are learning about animals in winter. The second grade is doing activities involving air and its movement. The fourth grade is

working on electricity. Congratulations to all our children for collecting \$349 which was donated to Christmas for Kids. Happy New Year to everyone.

#### NUTRITION WORKSHOPS

Food Smart, a federally sub-sidized program of Community Concepts, will offer two separate free workshops on nutrition. The first will be held at Community Concepts, 100 York Street, Rumford on Jan. 17 from 9:30 to 11 a.m. The second will be held at Community Concepts, Market Square, South Paris on Jan. 31 from 1:30 to

Information: 795-4030.



**WEEK OF DECEMBER 15** SAD44 Breakfast Program

Monday: Vacation. Tuesday: Cereal, toast, p/butter,

fruit juice, milk. Wednesday: Breakfast pizza, fruit juice, milk.

Thursday: Cereal, toast, p/butter or jelly, fruit juice, milk. Friday: Honey bun, fruit cup,

SAD44 Lunch Program Monday: Vacation.

Tuesday: BBQ meatballs, fluffy rice, green beans, chilled pears.
Wednesday: Pepperoni pizza, kernel corn, fresh fruit.
Thursday: Oven baked fish, whinned poteto, greened become

whipped potato, steamed broccoli, bread and butter, tropical fruit. Friday: Chicken nuggets, honey, potato fries, garden peas, peaches.

#### Oxford Hills Lunch Program

Monday: No School Tuesday: Cheeseburger on a bun, green beans, potato chips, fruit.

Wednesday: Vegetable soup, he ham and cheese on a bun, salad bar,

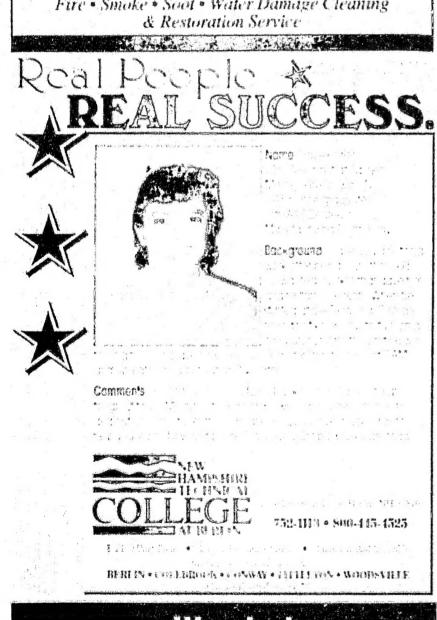
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Friday: Rib-A-Q on a bun, whole



FROZEN ALFRESCO-Woodstock Elementary School kindergarteners Abby Hutchins, left, and Sarah Fields enjoy a recess snack









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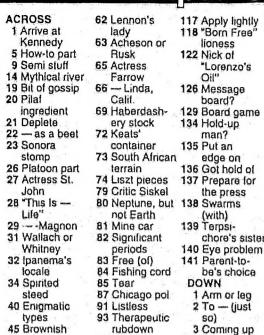
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Sleigh Rides at Norlands Living History Center in Livermore will be offered on Sundays through January and February and until the thaw in March. Fee for ride and visit to old-fashioned kitchen is \$5 for adults and \$3 for children. For information call 897-4366.

Wednesday, Jan. 10, 11 a.m.-Bethel Senior Citizens meeting at Bethel Methodist Church, Dinner will be \$5.

Friends of Telstar Middle School meeting at Telstar Library, 7 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 11, 11 a.m.--Kezar Lake Senior Citizens' meeting and polluck lunch. David Emerson will be speaker. For in-

formation on joining this group. call Frances Scott, president, at Friday, Jan. 12--Girl Scout cookie sale begins in Lovell. Red Cross blood drive will be

held at Southridge Lodge (cafeteria level), Sunday River Ski Resort, from 12 noon to 6 p.m. For information, call John DeVivo at 824-3000, ext. 374. Walk-ins are welcome. Saturday, Jan 13--Woodstock

Historical Society meeting.

L/A Arts will present Michael Parent in "Growing Up is a Full-Time Job" as part of its Saturday Series for Kids at 2 p.m. at Auburn Middle School. Tickets: \$5 in advance and \$6 at door and available by calling 782-7228 or 1-800-639-2919. Mahoosuc Arts Council will

present Mark Nizer, "The juggler your mother warned you about," 7 p.m., at the Summit Hotel, Sunday River Ski Resort, \$6/\$8/\$10. Sunday, Jan. 14, 2 to 4 p.m.-meeting at Bethel Town Office to arrange and group in order of importance the suggestions made (published in the Dec. 13 Bethel Citizen) regarding Bethel's Main Street. Everyone welcome and urged to attend.

Cello recital by Kristine Atherton of Portland Ballet at West Parish Congregational Church, 3 p.m. Reception immediately following. No charge; free-will offerings will defray artist's expenses and benefit SAD44 music program.

Tuesday, Jan. 16, Lovell Historical Society meeting on membership at Historical Building, Route

Christian Women United monthly meeting at Shorelands, Harrison. Luncheon at 11:30 a.m. Call Leora Whitney (743-7221) or Pearl Anderson (743-5724) by Jan. 10 for reservations, if not

contacted. Saturday, Jan. 20, 8 p.m.-The Boys Choir of Harlem will perform at the Maine Center for the Arts, University of Maine, Orono. For reservations or information, call 1-800-622-8499.

To submit events for the Community Calendar, you may bring in your copy to The Bethel Citizen or call the office at 824-2444, by noon on Mondays.

# **Exchanges**

District Exchange--Open every Monday 1-4 p.m., Tuesday, 4-6 p.m., Thursday, 4-6 p.m. at the first Saturday of each month from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Ethel Bis-bee School, Bethel. Clothing on sale, food available for those in need.

Community Service Center--Supplies available for emergencies and disaster relief at Thurlow Hall, Perkins Valley Road, South Woodstock. For aid or information call 674-2663.

# Safe Hangouts

After school safe hangout in the multi-purpose room of the United Methodisi Church in Bethel from 3 to 6 p.m., Mon.-Thurs. Music. computer access, help with homework. Telstar students welcome. For more info. see Tim Nickerson or Jessica Coolidge.

# Abused Women's **Advocacy Project**

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5806; 24-hour hotline 1-800-559-2927.

# Safer Families

Safer Families of Oxford County sponsors free and confidential domestic violence services and support groups for presently or formerly abused women. Meetings are held in Bethel at 6:30 p.m. on Thursdays, in Rumford on Tucsdays at 9 a.m. and in South Paris at 9:30 p.m. on Tuesdays. The Safer Families toll free 24-hour help and crisis hotline is 1-800-520-4220. Safer Families also provides legal advocacy, for example, help with protection orders. For more information call 824-4222 or 1-800-520-4220 (24hours a day),

# **Library Hours**

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.

Bethel Library: Monday, 9

a.m. -1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-5 p.m., 6-8 p.m.; Thursday 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 4-8 p.m.; Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Story Hour for preschoolers, Thursday,

10-11 a.m. (September through May). Betsy Raymond, Librarian. Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505, Library hours: Tuesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. - 8 p.m. Saturday, 10

a.m. to 4 p.m. Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2980.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 3-5 p.m.; Wed-nesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m.

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story Hour, 10:30 a.m.

Upton Public Library: First and third Thursday of each month, 6:30-8 p.m.

#### **Church Services** Bethel

West Parish Congregational--

Rev. Brendon Bass and Rev. Jean Bass, 10:30 a.m. church service and Sunday School. Nursery care provided. Prayer, Monday, 8 a.m. Church of the Nazarene--Rev. John Grant, 9:30 a.m. Sunday

school, 10:30 a.m. morning worship. 6 p.m. evening service

Our Lady of the Snows--Rev. Albert B. Colpitts. Mass--Saturday, 4:30 p.m. Bethel Alliance Church--Rev. Richard Mowery, 9 a.m. Sunday

school, 10 a.m. worship service. 6 p.m. evening service. United Methodist--Rev. Henry S. Nickerson, Pastor, 10:30 a.m. worship and Sunday School.

Nursery care provided. West Bethel Union--Rev. John Williams, 9:15 a.m. worship and

church school. Pleasant Valley Bible--Pastor Clifford McMullen, 9 a.m. Sun-

day school. 10 a.m. worship. Episcopalian House Church-at Bohr's on 38 Chapman Street, 4 p.m., third Sunday of each month

(824-2913.) Church of Christ--at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mill Road (Rt. 26), Bethel. Worship at 10 a.m. Sunday, Bible study at 11 a.m. 824-3577.

# Woodstock

Bryant Pond Baptist--Rev. Linwood Hanson, 9:15 a.m. Sunday school. 10:30 a.m. worship service, 6 p.m. evening service.

Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist-Pastor Michael Cabana, Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

#### Andover First Congregational Church--Pastor Jane Rich, 9:45 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship ser-

Calvary Congregational Church--Rev. Duane Waite, Sunday School 9:30 a.m., junior and morning worship 10:45.

# Locke Mills

Locke Mills Union--Rev. Deborah M. Jenks, 9 a.m. worship and Sunday school.

# East Stoneham

East Stoneham Congrega-tional--Rev. Janice Wilcox, 10 a.m. worship in February, April, June, August, October and De-cember. 9 a.m. church school (Oct.-June).

Newry Newry Community Church-Rodney H. Hanscom, services will resume in the spring.

Albany Congregational Church - Hunt's Corner, 11 a.m. Sunday summer worship, May 14 through September. Rev. Kenneth Carstens,

# Norway

Christian Science Society 19 Stevens St.1-- Sunday Service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony Service 7:30 p.m. Call 824-4099 for info.

### Veteran's Services (State/VA Benefits)

Norway Armory (743-7852). first and third Wednesday each month, 9 to 12 a.m.; Rumford Employ. Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Thursday, 9 to 12 a.m.; Lewiston (795-4590), 200 Main St., 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday thru Friday.

# Reach

Rape Ed. and Crisis Hotline 1-800-622-2365. Sexual abuse helpline, 743-9777. Past or present victims of abuse.

# **Monthly Meetings**

Every Sunday: Western Mountains Meditation Group, Center for Natural Healing, 47 Pioneer Street, West Paris, 9:30 a.m. 674-3961.

First Monday: Newry Community Ladies' Circle, 12:30 p.m. V.F.W., Lions' Hall, Bethel, 7 p.m. 824-2587. First and Third Monday: Bethel Board of Selectmen meets

at the Town Office, 7 p.m. Second Monday: Newry Mother's Club meets, 7:30 p.m. Daughters of Union Veterans of

the Civil War, J. Grover Tent #17, Bryant Pond, JR Grange Hall, 7 p.m. For more info. call 665-2460.

Second and fourth Monday: SAD44 Board of Directors meets in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover at 7:30 p.m. Call 824-2185 for meeting place.

The Gilead Fire Department meets at the Fire Station at 7 p.m. Every Monday: Mahoosuc Music Makers rehearsal, 7-9 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church.

First Tuesday: Three Rivers Sportsmans Club, Hanover K of P Hall, 6:30 p.m. polluck supper followed by a meeting.

First and Third Tuesday:

Woodstock Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 5 p.m.

The Greater Rumford Alliance for the Mentally III-Children and Adolescent Network (GRAMI-CAN) Support, education and advocacy. Meets in the former St. John's rectory from 6:30-8 p.m. in Rumford. Contact Diane at 369-0542.

The Bethel Lions Club meets at the Lions Den on Main Street at 7

Second Tuesday: Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion, meeting at 7:30 p.m. Supper starts at 6:30

Second and Fourth Tuesday: Woodstock Planning Board meets

Third Tuesday: Pinc Tree Legal Assistance at Bethel Area Health Center, starting at 10 a.m. Bethel Lions Club meets at the Bethel Lions Den, Main St., Social hour-6:30-7 p.m. Dinner at 7 p.m. followed by meeting. Telstar High School Project Graduation committee meeting, 6

to 8 p.m., room 106 at Telstar. Every Tuesday: Bethel Rotary Club meets at The Bethel Inn. 7:30 a.m.

Greenwood Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m. Andover Board of Selectmen meets at the Town office, 6 p.m. Newry Board of Selectmen

meets at the Town Office, 9 a.m. Cross-Country Quilters meet at the Bethel Library from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m.

First Wednesday: Purity Chapter 102, OES, 6:30 supper, 1 meeting

Greenwood Historical Society meets at the Society Building, Main St., Locke Mills, 7:30 p.m. Gilead selectmen meet at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Bethel Area Arachnes Spinning Group, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church. Potluck luncheon.

First and Third Wednesday: Newry Planning Board, Town Office, 7 p.m. Third Wednesday: Bethel Area Arachnes Spinning Group, West Parish Congregational Church, 7 to 9 p.m. Second and Fourth Wednes-

day: Bethel Planning Board meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m. Fourth Wednesday: Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, H.F. Richardson Tent #19. East Stoneham, K of P Hall, 7 p.m. For more info. call 928-

Wednesday: TOPS Every (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), 5:45-7 p.m., Bethel Fire Station.

Free public volleyball at the Bethel Airport, 5:30 p.m. til dusk. Organized by Bethel Air Service.

First Thursday: United Methodist Women meet at the Bethel Methodist Church at 1 p.m. Upton Board of Selectmen

meets, 6 p.m. Bethel Historical Society, Dr. Moses Mason House, 7:30 p.m.

Second Thursday: Board of Directors of Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce meets at the Bethel Area Health Center, 7:30

Newry Fire Auxiliary meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m. Bethel Lodge No 97, AF &

CPS/PTA meets from 6:30 - 8 p.m. Babysitting provided.
The Bethel VFW Memorial

Post 11363 meets at the Lions Hall on Main Street at 7 p.m. First and Third Thursday:

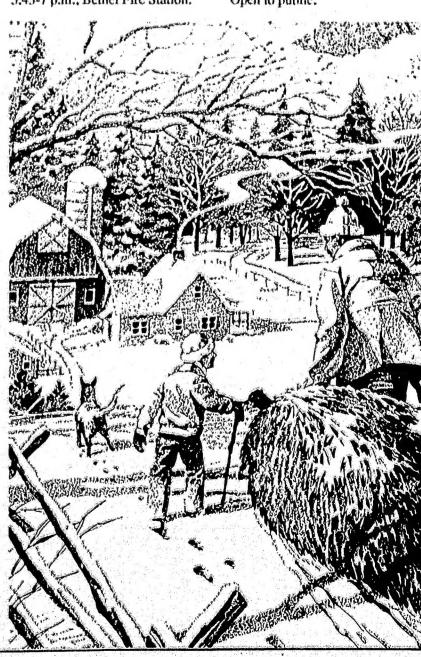
Jackson-Silver Post, Locke Mills, 7 p.m. Every Thursday: West Paris Board of Selectmen meet at the

Town Office, 6:30 p.m. First Friday: The Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association meets at 7 p.m. at the Newry home of Norman and Eleanor Davis, 824-2844.

Third Friday: Mt. Abram Lodge, IOOF, 7:30 p.m. Last Friday: Upton Planning Board, 7 p.m., town office.

Every Friday: Game Party at Jackson-Silver Post No. 68, Gore Road, Locke Mills, 6 p.m.

Second Saturday: Woodstock Historical Society meets at 7 p.m. in historical society museum. Open to public.



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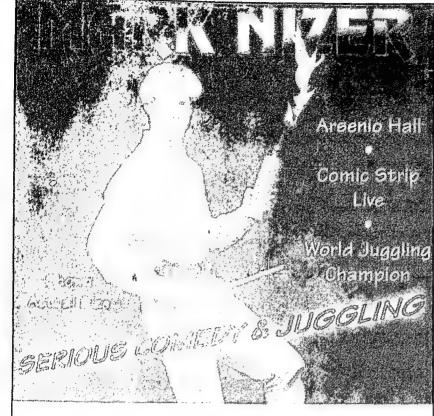
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Wednesday, January 10, 1996

Juggler Mark Nizer here

Juggler Mark Nizer will appear at the Summit Hotel at Sunday River Ski Resort, Bethel, on Saturday, Jan. 13, 1996. Tickets are available at the Summit front desk, the Snow Cap Inn, the Welcome Center, Preb's Pharmacy downtown Bethel or by calling 824-3575 for reservations, Advance prices until Jan. 12 are children \$6, adults \$8, and after

Jan. 12, \$8 and \$10. This performance is sponsored in part by the family of Leslie B. Otten and The Bethel Inn & Country Club. Nizer has opened for George Burns, Ray Charles and Bob Hope. He has also appeared on Arsenio Hall, Into the Night with Rick Dees, MTV, Comic Strip Live and Bob Hope's PBS Special. He won first place in the 1990 International Juggling Championships and has been nominated 1991 Campus Entertainer of the Year.

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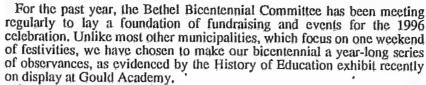
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### **Bethel Bicentennial Committee**

By JIM ROSE



As strong as the commitment has been from the volunteer bicentennial committee, we need your support. The committee has provided the public with some excellent items to purchase to create funding resources for a variety of the proposed events. Bicentennial calendars, sweatshirts and T-shirts are all available at Preb's, Ruthie's, and the Bethel Historical Society. Also, now available are raffle tickets for a large gift certificate from Preb's Pharmacy. Again, all proceeds go toward the funding of celebration events, Please support the volunteer efforts of the Bicentennial Committee, but, mostly please support your bicentennial celebration.

#### **CELLO RECITAL**

Kristine Atherton, a cellist with the Portland Ballet, will offer a recital at the West Parish Congregational Church on Sunday, Jan. 14, at 3 p.m. Accompanied by Karla M. Kelley, Atherton will play works by Bach, Brahms, Bruch Bartok and

Those attending are invited to a reception for the artist immediately following the recital. Some residents will remember Atherton as an elementary teacher in the Bethel school system in the 1980s.

This event inaugurates a recital series celebrating the bicentennial of the West Parish Congregational Church. There is no charge for the recital; free-will offerings will defray the artist's expenses and benefit the SAD44 music program.

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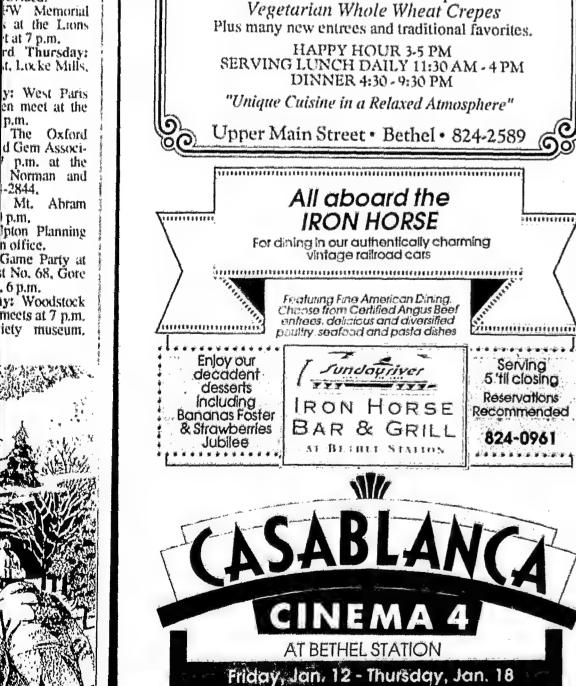
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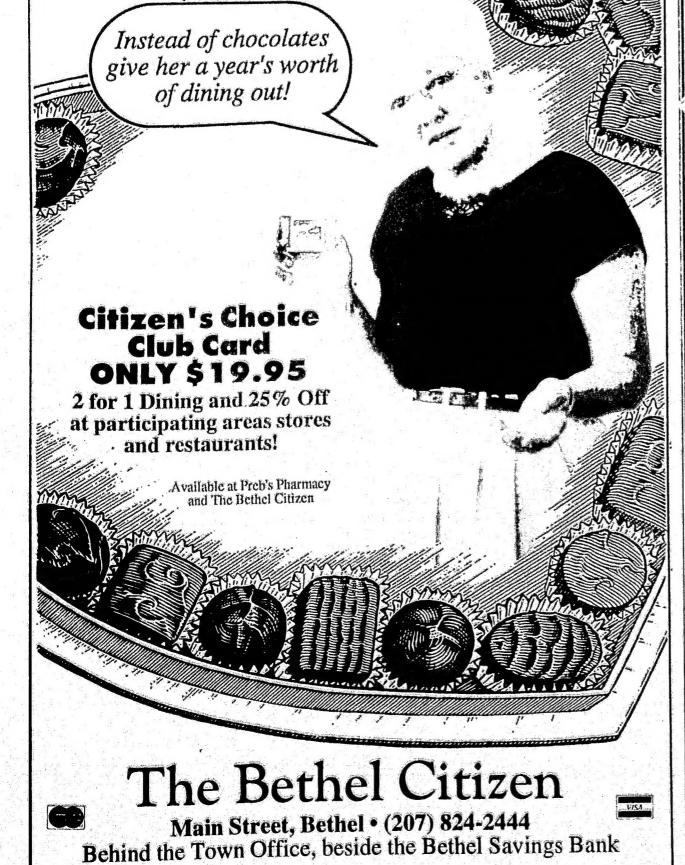


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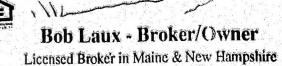
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7 PM at the Greenwood Town Office ARTICLE: Shall the town of Greenwood vote to approve a community development block grant application for "Urgent Need" construction work on abutment #2. Kendall Brook Bridge, Irish Neighborhood and to authorize the selectmen to accept said grant funds. Greenwood Selectmen

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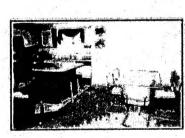


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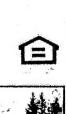
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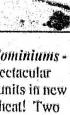
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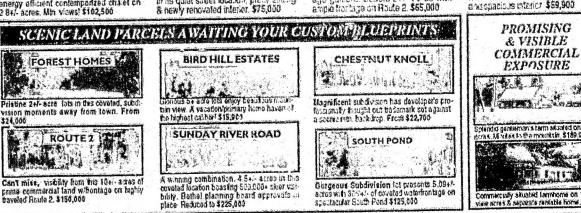


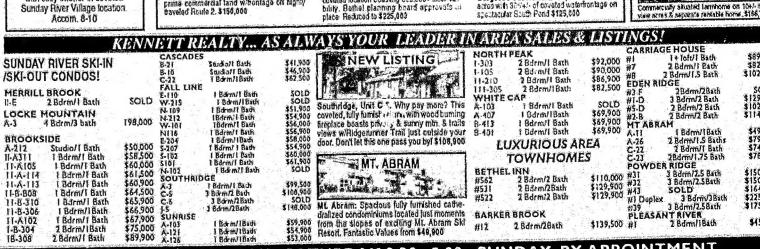
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# Births

# **Obituaries**

John Paul and Wendy Traynor Feeney of Wellesley, Mass. are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Dana Maple, born Dec. 22, 1995,

Paternal grandparents are Don and Ruth Feeney of Bethel.

Paternal great-grandmother is Anne Feeney of Bethel. grandparents

Maternal Stephen and Ronney Traynor of Chestnut Hill, Mass. Dana Maple joins a sister, Han-

nah, 2 years of age.

Anthony and Tracy Morin of Bethel are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Mariha Jean, born Dec. 31 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 9 pounds, 12 nunces.

Maternal grandparents are Joy and Ozzie Hart of Bethel.

Paternal grandparents are Darlene Corriveau of Gilead and Adrien Morin of Waterford.

Mariha joins sisters Sasha, 7, Amber, 5, and Christina, 3 1/2.

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THOMAS C. ELLIOTT

Thomas C. Elliott, 72, of West Paris, died early Monday morning, Jan. 1, 1996, at Stephens Memorial Hospital, where he had been a patient for the past several weeks.

He was born in Augusta on May 8, 1923, son of the late James and Alice (Boardman) Elliott, He attended Augusta schools and graduated from Kents Hill Academy, He served in the U.S. Army during World War II with the Quartermaster Corps in the European Theater of Operations.

Upon discharge from active service he availed himself of the GI Bill and attended Union College, where he received a bachelor of arts degree in 1950.

In 1951, he married Lucille Davis, who predeceased him in August 1995.

Mr. Elliott began his business career as a sales representative with American Cyanamid, a veterinary supply company, covering the New England area. He then became an agent for Phoenix Mutual Insurance, later an independent insurance agent serving the southern Maine

area, In 1968, Mr. Elliott established his residence in Barre, Vt., where he represented Horace Mann Insurance for a number of years, later joining a private agency in Springfield, Vt. In 1976, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott purchased the West Paris Hardware Store, which he continued to operate until illness forced his retirement several weeks ago.

A member of Standish Lodge 70 A.F. and A.M., he later transferred membership to Granite Lodge 182 A.F. and A.M. of West Paris, where he served as master and later as chaplain.

Mr. Elliott is survived by two daughters, Cynthia Elliott-Amadon of Germantown, Md., and Alice Elliott of Sidney; two sons, Thomas C. of Chicago and Brian D. of North Waterford; a sister, Anne C. Elliott of South Paris; a brother, James Elliott of Standish; two foster daughters, Sheila McIntire of West Buxton and Jeanette Lilly of East Barre, Vt.; a foster son, Alan Prive of Oxford; a granddaughter and two

foster grandchildren.

Masonic services were conducted at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 4 at the Andrews Funeral Home, South Woodstock, Funeral services were held at the funeral home Friday, Jan. 5. Friends who wish may make contributions in Mr. Elliott's memory to Stephens Memorial Hospital, c/o Development Office, 80 Main Street, Norway, ME 04268.

#### EDITH C. HERRICK

Edith C. (Silver) Herrick, 92, of Ledgeview Nursing Home, formerly of South Woodstock, died Thursday evening, Jan. 4, 1996.

Mrs. Herrick was born in South Woodstock on Jan. 2, 1904, daughter of the late Albert T. and Arvilla M. (Benson) Silver, She attended the Perkins Valley School in South Woodstock and was a lifelong resident of the South Woodstock area. For nearly 50 years, Mrs. Herrick was associated with Penleys, Inc., in West Paris as a clothespin assembler until her retirement in 1979. She was a mem-

ber of the Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church and Ring-McKeen American Legion Auxil-

iary of West Paris. She is survived by three granddaughters, Alicia Stevens of South Woodstock, Bethany Allen of Norway and Francina Barter of Gray; two grandsons, Charles Cash of West Paris and Cleve Herrick of Norway; 10 great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

Graveside services will be held in the spring at the South Woodstock Cemetery, Friends may make donations in Edith's memory to Activity Fund, Ledgeview Nursing Home, Bethel Road, West Paris, ME

#### LILLIAN C. BARTLETT

Lillian Cochran Bartlett, 96, of Intervale Road, Bethel, widow of Urban C. Bartlett, died early Saturday morning, Jan. 6, 1996, at her home.

Born in Portland, Oct. 2, 1899. the daughter of George and Clara Singer Cochran, she attended Portland schools, graduating from Portland High School in 1918 and Gorham Normal School in 1920.

Mrs. Bartlett taught school for several years at Portland and Bethel, In 1931, she married Urban C. Bartlett and since then had resided at East Bethel, Mr. Bartlett died in 1976.

She was a member of the State and National Retired Teachers Associations, Alder River Grange of East Bethel, the Bethel Historical Society, the East Bethel Church and a former member of the Bethel Senior Citizens.

Survivors include one son, Urban -Clark Bartlett Jr. and his wife Neda and a daughter, Dorothy Bartlett, both of East Bethel.

A memorial service will be conducted Saturday, Jan. 13, at the Greenleaf Funeral Home, Bethel, with the Rev. Norman Rust officiating. Interment will be at the East

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#### **EINO J. HEIKKINEN**

Eino J. Heikkinen, 76, of South Paris, died Sunday, Jan. 7, 1996, at Stephens Memorial Hospital, where he had been a patient since Nov. 20. Born at Sumner, May 5, 1919, the son of Arvi and Esteri Pulkkinen Heikkinen, he graduated from

South Paris High School in 1938. Mr. Heikkinen was married to the former Eva Cummings on Dec. 5, 1942. He had been an automobile salesman for 35 years. Prior to that he had worked at Wilner Wood Products and New England Ship-

builidng. He was a volunteer fireman at South Paris for many years, and was a charter member of the Finnish-American Heritage Society of Maine.

He was an active member of Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church and was involved in moving the church building to its present location from King Hill in 1950. He was also very active during the construction of the addition to the church in 1995.

He enjoyed golfing, fly fishing and ice fishing.

Survivors include his wife of South Paris; two sons, David J. of Walpole, Mass., and Thomas A. of Oxford; four sisters, Tyyne Kyl-Ionen of West Paris, Eva Hilden of South Paris, Hilja Morse of Oxford and Aino Basford of Westbrook: two brothers, Toivo and Walter, both of South Paris; and four grandchildren. He was predeceased by a sister, Hilda Matthews and a brother Vaino Heikkinen.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, Jan. 9, at the Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, South Paris, Spring interment will be at King Hill Cemetery, South Paris, In lieu of flowers, those wishing may make memorial gifts in his memory to Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, c/o Fred Walthers, P.O. Box 30, West Poland, ME 04291.

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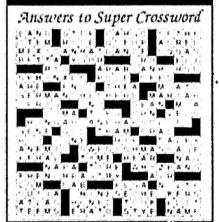
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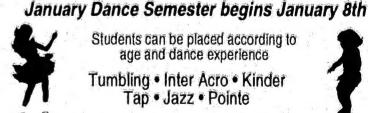
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